

SHIPS WRECKED IN STORM

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\$2,000,000 LOST IN FLAMES

Three Nine Story Armour Buildings Destroyed at Omaha

BUCKEYE LAKE HOUSES BURN

N. Y. Central Freight Sheds at Toledo Wiped Out

OMAHA, Neb. — (Associated Press) — A fire that still was burning fiercely early today and that was called by veteran packing men the most destructive in the history of American's packing industry had destroyed three nine story buildings of Armour and Company's plant in South Omaha with an estimated loss of \$2,000,000. Two other large buildings used as lard refineries were threatened.

More than 1,000 men already temporarily were without employment as a result of the fire.

O. C. Willis, general manager of the plant, said that the fire started from a defective elevator motor.

Firemen experienced great difficulty because of the sub-zero weather and low pressure farther than a hundred feet.

Armour and Company officials were expected in Omaha from Chicago today for a conference regarding the immediate rebuilding of the plant.

Dr. R. A. Stokes, director of the American Red Cross, announced late last night that he would head a corps of Red Cross workers into South Omaha to provide relief for the families of men thrown out of work.

The next worst fire in the history of the packing industry, according to packing men, occurred in September, 1900 at Hammond, Ind., when the loss reached \$1,500,000 in a fire that destroyed a packing plant there.

THREE INJURED IN FIRE
TOLEDO — (Associated Press) — Three firemen were injured, one probably fatally, and damages estimated by fire officials at \$2,000,000 were caused when the starting from an overheated furnace destroyed the large inbound freight sheds of the New York Central railroad here early today.

The three firemen were injured when the high wind blew down the front wall of the building punting them under masses of brick and masonry. Vincent Wozniak, the most seriously injured, was taken to a hospital suffering from a sprained back and internal injuries.

BUCKEYE LAKE FIRE
NEWARK, Ohio — (Associated Press) — A sudden shift of the wind probably saved most of Buckeye Lake Park from destruction today when five cottages were burned, the entailing loss estimated at more than \$15,000.

STORIES DESTROYED
BARNET, Vt. — (Associated Press) — The village of McIndoe Falls was without stores today and a number of its residents were homeless as a result of a fire last night. Loss is estimated at \$100,000.

THREE BUILDINGS BURN
SOUTHBRURY, Conn. — (Associated Press) — Fire today destroyed three buildings of the paper manufacturing plant of the Diamond Match company here. Loss was estimated at \$100,000.

COX REARRESTED

Alliance Bus Magnate Held on Weapon Charge

ALLIANCE, Ohio. — (United Press) — The preliminary hearing of John B. Cox, bus magnate, accused of kidnapping, assault and robbery by 17 A. J. Jolles, capitalist and publisher, came to a sudden close late yesterday with the discovery that the affidavit was faulty and Cox's dismissal. He was immediately rearrested.

Wade Russell, alleged accomplice of Cox, had testified that last June 20, he had seen Cox hold a gun to Jolles' head until the publisher promised to give up \$5,000 and Dr. J. B. Taylor had testified that Russell had voluntarily made his confession, when attorneys for Cox discovered that the affidavit charged the crime had been committed June 30, 1922, it should have read 1922.

Municipal Judge Moore, immediately discharged Cox. As he started to leave the court room, the chief of police served a warrant on him charging carrying concealed weapons. He was held on this until a new affidavit charging kidnapping could be drawn up with the date corrected. Then his bond was again set at \$45,000 and he was recommitted to jail.

PLANT CHANGE PLANNED
ELYRIA — The Cleveland Illuminating Co. is planning to take over the \$1,000,000 power house owned by the Lake Shore Electric railroad Co. in Avon Beach park, east of Lorain.

UNITY LACKING IN SQUARE USE FOR CITY HALL

Business Men In Locations Facing Public Place at Variance, Interviews Disclose—Seen as Help by Some, Hindrance by Others

Unanimity of opinion among business men and others in locations facing the four sides of the public square is lacking on the question of utilizing the public place as a site for a city building.

This fact was made quite apparent when The Lima News detailed a representative to interview occupants of structures in the square.

While sentiment was found to be about 50-50 on the proposition broached by the city commission, of utilizing the center of the big open space for the erecting of a building to house city offices, there was apparent a strong current in favor of some sort of structure that will provide a transfer station for street car patrons and comfort stations for the use of the general public.

TAKE DECIDED STAND
For the most part those who were interviewed evidenced a willingness to go on record on the question. Some are emphatically opposed.

Others are ardent champions of the plan. Few were encountered who have not formed decided opinions. Some of them are owners of property facing the square; others have business locations under lease.

In one instance a business man declared himself to be heartily in favor of the city commission plan of disposing of the old W. High-st. structure and erecting an office building in the square. His next door neighbor is just as radically opposed. "It's not the place for a city building," he declared. "It would drive business away from the square."

In another case, a merchant requested to give his opinion, expressed the belief that it would be a good thing for everybody in the square. The divergence of opinion disclosed is amazing and unexpected, indicating conclusively that any action sought to be taken by the city commission will find proponents and opponents pretty evenly balanced, so far as those located in the square are concerned.

Little or no sentiment was found against disposing of the old building—also, there was little said favoring the proposition. Quite the reverse was the situation when 15 prominent men of the city, selected at random, were interviewed. They were found to be practically unanimous for the sale of old city hall, but they too were divided on the question of the location of a new structure, it indeed one is to be erected.

OTHER PLANS PAID
Questions affecting the occupancy of the center of the square by some sort of structure have come up from time to time and in each instance it was found that sentiment was so radically at variance, efforts to accomplish anything constructive were abandoned.

At one time, only a few years ago, a proposal to abandon the public place by moving buildings forward, practically died aborning.

Wide divergence of opinion is found in sentiment existing among business men located in the public square, as indicated in the following:

MILTON KUGELMAN, Star Clothing company: "It depends on what kind of a building they put up. I am in favor of shelter for people who are waiting for cars."

E. C. EVANS, Oxo-gas company: "I do not see how it will be a benefit."

A. T. BALDWIN, Druggist: "That is valuable ground where the city building is now. It is only waste space in the square and I believe it is the wise thing to do."

FRANK MATTON, Princeton Clothing shop: "It is a comfort station included. It would be a good thing, but I do not think the Ohio Electric should have offices in it."

G. V. WIGGIN, Manager of Spot lunch: "I believe it would be very appropriate."

V. W. KOHL, Secretary and treasurer of Hoover & Bond: "I think it is a good thing and will help the city, for it would be a big improvement."

J. E. WELCH, Welch's market: "I do not think it is the place for it."

JAMES H. SCHUSTER, Manager of P. & Q. shop: "I would say it would be a good thing."

L. G. HARRIS, Manager Star Tire (Continued On Page Two).

GERMAN POLICE TO BE DISARMED

10,000 Officers Affected by Order Issued by French

CLAIM GUNS USED TOO MUCH

Coal Leakage Found Following Boast of Teutons

DUESSELDORF — (Associated Press) — Ten thousand German security police throughout the occupied region are to be disarmed by order of General Degoutte.

It was explained at French headquarters today that this action was deemed advisable because of the general attitude taken by the police toward the forces of occupation.

In addition to the recent incident at Gelsenkirchen, the French consider that the police are inclined to use their arms too freely especially when they get in a dispute with French soldiers.

The Germans are boasting that since February 6, unoccupied Germany has been receiving more Ruhr coal than France and Belgium. However they did not begin to boast until the French discovered the leakage over private railway lines leading from the mines and by other routes which the allies had not controlled properly. The French announce that all such gateways into the interior now are guarded cautiously.

FRANCE APPEALS TO BRITAIN
LONDON — (United Press) — France's appeal for Britain's cooperation to make the seizure of the Ruhr really effective as far as coal production and confiscation was concerned, was placed before the British cabinet today by French Minister of Public Works, Le Troquer.

The French want to run trains loaded with coal that has been seized in the Ruhr pits thru Rhine territory occupied by British troops.

This applies particularly to the city of Cologne.

At Cologne there is no objection to the trains passing thru Cologne, except they are manned by French troops and carry German hostages. This is felt, constitutes a breach of Britain's sovereignty in the occupied zone.

At Trier and a group of officers laid before the government a plan whereby Britain's objections could be overcome. Details were not at first made public, but the French were optimistic about securing Donar Law's approval.

MINERS STRIKE
PARIS — (United Press) — French and Belgian miners quit work by thousands today in a strike over wages.

While the general strike declared by the French miners' federation does not start officially until tomorrow morning, workers at many points stopped as soon as word of the plan reached them. Several thousand workers walked out at Valenciennes in connection with a nation-wide demand for 25 per cent increase in wages.

The National Council of Federated Miners of France has thus far refrained from joining the strike in this country. This is welcomed by operators as a favorable sign but L'Etat admits a majority of miners in the Loire Valley will walk out tomorrow.

The strike is expected to be partially effective in the Nord, while the Pas de Calais and Ardennes await Saturday's interview with employers at Douai.

The French press today expressed fear that Germany would interpret the coal strike as encouragement of resistance in the Ruhr.

The Petit Parisien appeals to the patriots of the workers not to give the Germans this much hope.

BOY SUES FOR \$10,000 DAMAGES IN HAZING

ASHLAND, Kansas — Frank Dalton, 17-year-old high school boy, has filed a suit for \$10,000 damages against this city and its board of education. It was made known here today. The suit is the result of a "hazing" recently in which Dalton claims he was ridden on a rail, ducked in icy water and beaten with laths by local students and teachers.

The hazing was because Dalton "rooted" for the visitors at a recent basketball game, students declare.

CIGARET BILL KILLED

COLUMBUS — The biennial anti-cigarette bill died in the legislature today. The measure, which would have prohibited the manufacture, sale or display of cigarettes or cigarette papers in Ohio, was virtually killed today when the house committee on reorganization to which it was referred voted to postpone further consideration indefinitely.

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QUITS VETERANS' BUREAU

COL. CHARLES R. FORBES

WASHINGTON — (Associated Press) — The resignation of Colonel Charles R. Forbes as director of the veterans' bureau has been placed in the hands of President Harding and the president now is considering appointment of one of three former overseas service men to the directorship. It was said definitely today in administration quarters.

At the same time, however, it was indicated that the appointment of a successor to Colonel Forbes might not be made immediately and that he might resume his duties temporarily after his return from Europe where he recently went on a vacation trip.

DETROIT PROBES DEMANDED

Bailin Challenges U. S. to Disprove Frameup Charges

CHICAGO — (United Press) — Albert Bailin, self-confessed member of a number of radical organizations and former private detective today challenged the United States government to disprove his charge that detective agencies manufactured radical plots as a "business proposition."

"All I want is a federal investigation of private detective agencies," Bailin said, as the cross-examination in the deposition hearing was resumed.

"If congress orders this investigation I will produce hundreds of witnesses to substantiate my statements that Burns and Thiel agencies, hold high positions in the I. W. O., communist and other parties were responsible for the phantom radical scare which swept the country."

Bailin's deposition will be presented at the trial of alleged communists captured in Michigan last fall if he does not appear as a witness and the former detective declared he hoped by that time to gain the consent of his New York attorneys to appear in person.

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DEATH, RUIN IN WAKE ON LAND

CHICAGO — (Associated Press) — Abatement of exceptionally high winds which ushered in winter's severest onslaught in some sections was the only relief promised today from the excessive cold which for three days gradually has spread over the country from Alaska and the Canadian Northwest until all the United States, excepting Florida and the Southern Pacific coast regions, has felt its icy grasp.

The Old South and the Atlantic

Steamer Sinks Off Vancouver Island, Another Is Burned to Water's Edge and Several Other Vessels are Dashed On Rocks Off Pacific Coast

Craft are Driven Helplessly Before Severe Gale Sweeping The Ocean—Heavy Toll Is Taken on Land In Northwestern States

SEATTLE, Wash. — (Associated Press) — A number of lives were believed to have been lost early today when the British steamer Tuscan Prince went ashore near Navevan, Vancouver Island, according to a message received here from the tug Sea Monarch.

The Sea Monarch, at the time the message was sent, was rushing to the aid of the vessel which was said to be a total loss. The message gave no details and did not state the source of the information concerned.

"Ship breaking up, we are going to drown" was the last message from the Tuscan Prince, which came thru the air and was picked up by the radio station of the Seattle Harbor department. Another message, from an unidentified source, confirmed the report that the Tuscan Prince was aground near Estevan, B. C.

SAN FRANCISCO — (Associated Press) — The coast guard cutter Snohomish has taken all members of the crew from the steamer Nika which has burned to the water's edge. This information was contained in a message from the commander of the Snohomish received at 8:30 a. m. No details were given and the position of the ship was not stated.

NEW YORK — (Associated Press) — The steamer Monconsio, Norfolk, Va., has sent out a distress call from a position about 105 miles east of Cape Henry, Va. The steamer Carplaka, New Orleans for Havre, picked up the call when 77 miles from the sinking craft and shifted her course to go to the Monconsio's assistance. The latter is an Italian freighter of 3,761 tons.

WIRELESS APPEALS FROM SEA FOR HELP TELL OF DANGEROUS POSITION OF SHIPS

SAN FRANCISCO — (Associated Press) — Out of the wind-whipped waters of the Pacific, off the Washington coast came a series of wireless appeals today that told of two freight steamers on the rocks, a third drifting helplessly, a fourth aground and a further, most mysterious report of a glare south of Cape Flattery that looked like a ship afire at sea.

The scores of men forming the crews were in peril as daylight lifted over the stormy ocean.

The British freighter Tuscan Prince, the last to succumb to the gale, reported that she was on the rocks and breaking up fast, but her position was not learned and efforts to communicate with her failed. She was believed to be somewhere near the mouth of the Columbia river. She was bound for Seattle from San Francisco.

The steamer Santa Rita, which left San Pedro, Calif., for Seattle February 10, apparently deviated from her course last night to look for the steamer Nika, earlier reported in distress. Early today the Santa Rita broadcasted the news that she was on the rocks near Tacoma at the entrance to Puget Sound. Her captain expressed the belief that she would not sink, the he said she was being pounded by heavy seas.

HELPLESS BEFORE GALE
The Nika, a wooden vessel sent S. O. S. calls last night reporting that she had lost her rudder off Umatilla reef, south of Cape Flattery, and was helpless before the gale. The fire at sea was reported near this position and shipping men feared it was the Nika. Several ships started to her rescue but none had reached her at last reports.

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FISHERMAN'S BILL UP AGAIN

Motion to Reconsider is Before House Today

DEFEATED IN LOWER BRANCH

Pike-co Election Case Continued Until February 26

COLUMBUS—(Associated Press)—Renewal of the fight for enactment of a fisherman's license law was expected to come in the house today. Defeated by the house yesterday, the bill of Senator Alwood, Republican, Franklin, was to be brought before the house again today by a motion to reconsider. It had already been passed by the senate. Although the measure received 57 favorable votes to 47 against it, it was declared defeated because it had not received a majority of the total membership of the lower chamber.

Proponents of the measure today were hopeful of having sufficient supporters to pass the bill to the senate for reconsideration and to pass the bill when it reached the floor.

The Pike-co election case which has been providing entertainment for legislators and other observers for two days, yesterday was continued until February 26.

ELECTION RETURNS
Newspapers of the state today had launched a campaign looking towards the speedy count of the state's election returns. At a meeting held with Secretary of State Thad. Brown, representatives of various newspapers of the state agreed to the provisions of a bill which would require precinct election officials and county boards of elections to go into session immediately following the closing of the polls and remain on the job until the complete unofficial vote of their respective districts is reported completely to the secretary of state. The secretary of state as supervisor of elections, would be given authority to remove any election official failing to comply.

AUTO LICENSE FEES
Legislation dealing with the distribution of the funds derived from automobile license fees also was scheduled to come up in the senate today. The upper house yesterday deferred consideration of the bill of Senator Edwards of Licking county, providing that townships instead of counties and cities should be the districts for distribution of the funds, after more than an hour's argument over the relative ability of township trustees or county commissioners to administer the money which must be used for road maintenance. The bill finally was put over until today on motion of Majority Leader Kryder, with the stipulation that information as to whether the new system would mean additional employees for the secretary of state or county auditors, should be obtained.

DRILLING SLACK

Fewer Wells in Lima Field in January Than in December

Fewer oil wells were completed in the Lima field during January than in December, but the total production was greater than that of the month before, due to the bringing in of several large wells, monthly report of the Ohio Oil company shows.

Thirty-three wells were completed with an initial output of 750 barrels, the report shows. In December, 57 wells produced 650 barrels.

Darkeco furnished the largest producer of the month when M. P. Colt brought in a 200-barrel well on the C. R. Steckelman farm in Mississippi township.

Darke, Wood and Hancock-ees furnished the most wells of the month and in January, the same counties were at the front. The entire field has nine rigs up and 50 wells drilling, representing an aggregate gain of three over December.

The record by counties for completions follows:

Wood, 3 wells, 109 barrels; Hancock, 6 wells, 143 barrels; Allen, one well, six barrels; Anguize, two wells, 15 barrels; Sandusky, four wells, 32 barrels; Mercer, two wells, both dry holes; Seneca, three wells, 120 barrels; Ottawa, one well, five barrels; Darke, six wells, 275 barrels.

DERRICK FOR 4,000 FOOT OIL WELL RAZED BY WIND; ERECTED AT \$5000 COST

An oil derrick erected by the Anguize Oil & Gas company on Billy Hoover farm No. 1, Lima, R. D. 5, at a cost of \$5,000, was demolished shortly after 5 p. m. Wednesday, when blown over by high winds.

The derrick was built in preparation for a deep test well to be drilled 4,000 feet, in the hope of finding oil at a new level. It stood more than 150 feet high.

S. S. Mercer is the head of the Anguize Oil & Gas company.

COMMISSION REAFFIRMS RIGHT TO FIX RATES

COLUMBUS—The state public utilities commission reaffirmed its right to fix rates for unified telephone service in Ohio cities today by dismissing the petition of the city of Akron, which sought to take the rate fixing power into its own hands. Akron had claimed the right to fix its own rates because it operates under a charter. The Ohio Bell Telephone Company some months ago filed application with the commission for the establishment of merger rates in Akron.

MAINE SUNK 25 YEARS AGO
WASHINGTON—The twentieth anniversary of the sinking of the Maine was observed today at Arlington cemetery by United States Spanish War veterans and its women's auxiliary.

SUNDAY — "FORGET-ME-NOT" SIGMA.

BOREAS STILL IN ILL TEMPER

With the gas supply practically normal in spite of near zero conditions, and coal men reporting ample supplies of fuel on hand, Lima snaps its finger—figuratively speaking—at the weatherman. Continued cold and generally fair tonight and Friday, except probably snow flurries near Lake Erie. There's practical assurance that the end of the nor'wester is not yet in sight and that day will perform, continue logging extra quantities of ashes out of the basement and feed larger supplies of coal into the maw of the furnace.

Despite severe cold, weather conditions are not so bad, compared with dreary, rainy, sloppy state of city streets, conducive to colds and other forms of illness. High winds have proven a source of annoyance to pedestrians, hurrying dust particles into eyes and all but choking hapless individuals when caught in gust clouds. Biting winter winds penetrating crevices in homes, business blocks—everywhere—add to fuel bills and bodily discomfort. However, there is joy in the prospect that perhaps the present cold wave may be the last of the present winter. Maybe—remember.

OLD AGE PENSION PLANS OPPOSED

Federation of Labor Fights Proposed Legislation

WASHINGTON—(United Press)—The American Federation of Labor is quietly organizing opposition to old age pension legislation proposed in Illinois, Pennsylvania, Texas, Colorado, Wisconsin and other states.

Opposition is based on the contention that "such laws would rob the workers of initiative" and that it will make their old age secure from poverty.

Pensions under the proposed measures would range from \$25 monthly to citizens over 65 in Texas, to \$1 per day to citizens over 70 years old in Pennsylvania.

To qualify for a pension the applicant must show ten years or more of useful service to the state in which he applies for such aid and prove poverty.

While the federation of labor is opposed to the principle of the proposals, it nevertheless realizes the strong appeal it has to many workers and therefore is prepared to compromise by making such aid of national character.

If pensions are offered by only a few states the flow of workers will be to those states, depriving others of their needed labor requirements, leaders of the federation hold.

Opponents to the proposed legislation cited Denmark, Great Britain and France to support their claims. In Denmark the increase in pensioners between 1910 and 1920 was 27 per cent compared with a population increase of only 12 1/2 per cent. Britain and France have had similar experience; they hold.

COURT CASES ASSIGNED FOR FEBRUARY, MARCH HEARING BY 2 JUDGES

Thirty-six civil cases have been set down for trial during the latter part of February and March by Judge Fred C. Becker, on the new court calendar.

Judge E. R. Eastman, of Putnam county has been designated by the Ohio supreme court to hold court in Allen county during his period.

Despite the fact that two judges have worked continuously in common pleas court since November, the docket has not been materially reduced. Cases still pile up, and are not always tried when assigned.

Judge Becker will hear criminal matters on February 26, 27 and 28. Vacant dates were left on the court calendar, to afford the court an opportunity to look after the criminal cases.

Among the most important cases to come up on the new calendar is a suit filed by the U. S. Fidelity & Guarantee company of Baltimore against Roy Bowersock, detective, administrator of the estate of Raleigh Ross Townsend.

Judge Eastman will hear the case March 6.

VALENTINE DAY RUSH HITS NEW HIGH FOR POSTOFFICE EMPLOYEES

"I'm glad that's over," Postmaster A. E. Gale said Thursday, referring to an unusual rush of local mail, due to the annual coming of Valentine day.

The Lima postoffice never in all history witnessed such enormous consignments of missives and packages, induced by the sentiment of St. Valentine's day, Gale asserted.

Carriers were overloaded with extra mail all day Wednesday and the same thing still prevailed on Thursday, only to a lesser degree, as late offerings found their way thru the mails.

"My arms are still aching from sorting out Valentine day cards and envelopes containing reminders of the day," one of the clerks stated. "Glad it comes only once a year."

WIDOW GETS PROPERTY

Mrs. Mary W. Michael, 536 W. Spring-st., will inherit the property of Burdette Michael, who died after shooting himself in the temple a week ago. The value of the estate documents filed in probate court show, is \$3,600. Mrs. Michael is named executrix.

GROCER ASSIGNS
An assignment deed executed by E. C. McGinness, grocer, 908 S. Second-st., in favor of Neil R. Poling attorney, was filed in probate court Thursday. Assets of the assignor amount to \$500.

SALARY BOOST DENIED

C. M. Thompson, boys' and girls' club leader in Anguize-co, denied an increase in salary to \$3,100 for 1925 and \$3,400 for 1924, by the farm bureau, is expected to accept an offer from Hancock-co.

OHIO GIRL'S DEATH STARTS DEBATE

Suicide at College Brings Controversy Over Literature

TRAGEDY BLAMED ON BOOKS

Authorities Hold Different Views on Subject, However

(BY ALEXANDER HERMAN)
NEW YORK—(Special)—Should books treating of death and suicide be excluded from our schools and colleges because of their depressing effect on the students' minds?

John S. Sumner, secretary of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, says "Yes." Dr. H. H. Horne, professor of the History of Education and Philosophy at New York University, says "No."

Both are authorities on literature and its influence. Yet each takes an opposite view on the issue growing out of the suicide of a young college girl.

Miss Marie Bloomfield, a pretty, 18-year-old girl of Columbus, O., came to Columbia University here to continue her studies. She became greatly interested in the literature of death. She read Barbellion's Journal—the diary of a man dying from creeping paralysis. She memorized Keats' lines "I have been half in love with easeful death." She studied Hamlet's speech ending "The rest is silence." She discussed Socrates, Greek philosopher who committed suicide by drinking poison.

Then she followed suit—also by drinking poison.

Her farewell letter indicated that there was no motive for her act other than a desire to experience that "great adventure." She was an honor student at the university, had no affairs of the heart, financial difficulty or troubles of any kind.

Yet she killed herself at a time of youth when life seems brightest. "The case," says Sumner, "recalls that of a college girl in Boston last summer. While attending a summer session at school, she committed suicide. It was found that she had read 300 books on mental conditions."

"They led to the unrest, discontent of her own mind, and finally to destruction. Such auto-suggestion may lead to any act."

"There are many such books on the market now. Many deal popularly with scientific subjects which lead to the digging up of hidden motives for ordinary acts of life."

"Such books, if they have any value, should be limited to the few who are actually interested in them scientifically."

"Even if there is any good in the general reading of such writings, I do not think that it can counterbalance the harm that may be done to the few who might suffer from their influences."

"Any rate, I would exclude from any college curriculum any book which may palpably lead to a condition of mind which might be harmful."

But Dr. Horne, who has taught thousands of young students, says: "Let youth see life steadily and see it whole. Let its reading be directed to both sides of any question. Youth demands to see all sides. Youth can be trusted with facts. Youth cannot be trusted with one idea—neither can age."

"Miss Bloomfield was a victim of her own idea. This first came to her from reading Barbellion's diary. She first must have interested, then fascinated, then possessed her. She became its servant, not its master. Being intelligent and capable, she ought have resolutely put it from her mind. Being sensitive and responsive, she yielded to it, and then took her life."

"Ideas once acquired have a dynamic quality," his exultant observations and hypnotisms. Some ideas are healing, just as some are noxious."

"It is dangerous to meditate on suicide and to fill one's mind with this idea. It may become fixed, then a process of auto-suggestion. Death makes a peculiar appeal to the adolescent mind because it is life in another form."

"The young suicide's tragedy lay in the fact that she did not fight her way to a victory over her depression through choosing another set of ideas."

THREE CONVICTED
CINCINNATI—Otto Katz, George R. Landen and Sidney H. Miller of officials of the Independent Drug Company of this city were found guilty by a jury in United States district court today of conspiracy to violate the federal prohibition act. Sentence was deferred until later when Judge John W. Peck will hear some of the testimony that was ruled out yesterday.

TRAIL POSTPONED
PAINESVILLE—Trial of Henry D. Burns, charged with beating his wife, Hazel, and burning her in a shallow grave, while she was still alive, was postponed to February 21, at a short session of Lake-co court today.

TWO INDICTED
WILMINGTON—Louis Vandervoort 20 and Walter Bingham, 19, indicted for the murder of Policeman Emory McCright, a year ago.

EPISCOPAL BISHOP DIES
DETROIT—Funeral services for Rev. Charles D. Williams, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan, who died suddenly last night were planned today. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage.

ESCAPES JAIL
FINDLAY—Moyd Biss, of Elyria, escaped from the Hancock-co jail when he climbed his way thru a wall beside a window with the aid of legs from an iron bed.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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FUTURIST DOLLS



"Futurist dolls" and weird dolls of all kinds soon will be fashionable, predicts their creator, Marie Capewitz, Russian artist now in San Francisco. Here's the artist and one of her strange creations.

UNITY LACKING IN CITY HALL CHANGE

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company: "I am against it. It would hurt all places of business on the square."

EDGAR T. THOMPSON, Thompson Drug Store: "There is not ample room in the square for it."

O. D. SMITH, Manager United Wooden Mills: "It would be a good thing and beneficial to those on the square."

L. MATZ, Manager Kirby's Shoe store: "I think it would be a good thing."

ELMER D. WEBB, president of Elmer D. Webb company: "I am in favor of a waiting room and comfort station, but not a city building. Better to beautify the square than to utilize it."

T. W. GREENLAND, Greenland's pharmacy: "I am in favor of it if the right kind of a building is put up."

GEORGE MALLERS, Royal and Rialto theatres: "It is the right place for it."

TOM BAILEY, Fisher's boot shop: "I think it would be a good thing and would beautify the square."

VIRGIL JENKINS, Haberdasher: "I am in favor of it."

F. G. CHRISTEN, Acting cashier of First National Bank: "The present city hall is inadequate for city needs. I think the square is the proper place for it."

C. L. LEPEYRE, Shoe man: "I think it would be a fine thing if the right kind of a building is put up."

R. P. JONEN, Hardware store: "I am against it for it would hurt business on the square by closing it up with a building."

H. J. PEELUM, Haberdasher: "I would like to have it there. Make it as attractive as possible to show up some of these small buildings around the square."

M. MARKS, Clothier: "It would be a good thing for the business men on the square."

W. D. ROWLANDS, Furniture store: "I think it would be foolish to place it in the square, for it would not help business in any way."

HARROD GIRL SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA ATTACK

Beatrice Guy, 15, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Guy, Harrod, at noon Thursday, following a short illness.

Pneumonia was the cause of death. Besides her parents, the deceased is survived by three sisters and two brothers. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

ADDED COSTS REQUIRED
Motion asking that Sadie Marchus, plaintiff in a \$500 suit against R. H. Trubler, be required to give additional security for the costs, was sustained in common pleas court Thursday noon by Judge H. W. Blachly. A deposit of \$35 was ordered by the court. Trial of the case is to come up soon.

DITCH HEARING
Hearing on benefits and damages on the Watte-co ditch, south of Lima, was held before the county commissioners Thursday.

ANOTHER ROAD CONTRACTOR
Mr. and Mrs. Earnest K. Holl, 410 S. Jameson-av., announce the birth of a son, Thursday, at St. Rita's Hospital.

New life! -no more biliousness

Dr. KING'S PILLS
-for constipation-

NOTICE GAS CONSUMERS
THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF NATURAL GAS AND WE ARE ASKING ALL CONSUMERS TO NOT USE IT FOR ANY PURPOSE EXCEPT COOKING, UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE WEATHER MODERATES.

OWING TO THE FLUCTUATING PRESSURE, CONSUMERS SHOULD USE EXTRA PRECAUTION TO AVOID ANY POSSIBILITY OF ACCIDENTS.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

DOUGHBODY "LOCH, COME TRY THE BEST ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT."

SUNDAY — "FORGET-ME-NOT" SIGMA.

THE LIMA NAT GAS CO.

60 MILLIONS PAID FOR DRUGS

Sum Spent in Paris Alone Last Year for Dope

LAW DEFIED IN TRAFFIC

Drastic Measures Fail to Halt Selling Agencies

(BY JOHN O'BRIEN)
PARIS—(United Press)—"Coke fiends" and other drug addicts spent approximately \$60,000,000 in Paris alone last year in pursuit of the elusive intoxication that brings madness and death in its train.

And the traffic is flourishing, in spite of redoubled police efforts and the passage last summer of a law prescribing banishment for five years from France on conviction and jail sentence for dealing in the prohibited "snow."

This estimate is based on official figures just issued by the Bureau of Judicial Research compiled for communication to the League of Nations, which is directing the international fight against the sale of drugs. During the year 1922 the "drug squad" of the Paris police department arrested 214 persons on charges of being engaged in the illicit traffic. In the same period they seized 106 pounds of opium, 21-2 pounds of hashisch, 50 pounds of cocaine, seven of morphine and three of heroin.

DIFFICULT TO CATCH

It is admitted by the police that the arrests do not amount to one in a thousand of the known dealers, so difficult is it to "catch them with the goods." A simple calculation gives the total of the year's business in poisonous drugs as something between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000.

Retailers of "cocoo" as it is called in Parisian argot, swarm in every quarter and in every walk of life. Their intermediaries are employees of clubs, cafe and restaurant waiters, manicures, pedicures, barbers, bath attendants, chauffeurs, soothsayers, the fortune tellers. These are the unfortunate individuals who get caught. The "man higher up" may be arrested, but the police never find the "dope" on him.

There is a bar in Montmartre known to every habitue of the night life as the center of the traffic for that quarter. There is another near the Arc de Triomphe and half a dozen in the Latin Quarter.

In these haunts the retailers meet their intermediaries and give them instructions. The middlemen arrange as best they can. Sometimes the "cocoo" is placed between the pages of a business directory or a telephone book. All the seller has to do is to take the price—twenty-five francs a gram—and tell the "friend" where he can get the stuff.

NEW JURORS CALLED TO FILL OUT COURT PANEL

Additional jurors were called Thursday to augment the panel in common pleas court, summoned to try cases before Judge H. W. Blachly during the remainder of the month.

The list includes M. L. Mayer, Lima; A. W. Garner, Lima; Elton Durbin, Harrod; J. F. Brennum, Lima; Mrs. L. O. Durkee, Beaverdam; Ed Youngpeter, Marion; Miss Mary Stolzenbach, Lima, and J. B. Miller, Lima.

ONLY ONE CHANGE IN GRAND JURY PERSONNEL

Members of the grand jury called into session Thursday are the same with one exception as the panel which served in January. Mrs. J. H. Phillips of Lima replaces Mrs. Lester Baxter, of Delphos.

The members are: H. C. Hammaek, coronator; Howard Polter, Mrs. Flo Hartline, D. A. Drake, Charles Boose, D. C. Fetter, E. B. Pleager, William Heffner, Fred Reiderman, Ben Gast, John Keville, W. E. Grubb, Dan Harpster Mrs. J. H. Phillips.

SUIT FOR GOODS DAMAGED
In common pleas court will determine the extent of damage to furniture and medical supplies carried by the Pennsylvania and Erie Railroads from Steubenville to Westminster. Dr. J. A. Parks, of Westminster, owner of the goods asserts his loss is \$313.54. The case is being heard before Judge H. W. Blachly.

BEAVER DAM INSTITUTE
Annual farm institute at Beaver Dam will be held February 26 and 27, it was announced Thursday by Ira Larue, president. Instructors will be J. W. Nicodemus of Van Wert and Mrs. Ida A. Durbin of Fredericktown. Herbert Marshall is secretary and Mrs. E. Pfeiffer is lady correspondent.

MARRIAGE BANS
Banns recording the marriage of four Landeck couples were filed in probate court Thursday. They are: Harold Kill and Bernice Louth; Ralph Luersman and Rosella Sever; Abram Youngpeter and Dina Ochloff; Oshmar Wienken and Theresa Etzkorn. All were married by Rev. P. H. Janssen, of St. Johns church.

THOUGHTFUL PEOPLE

THINK FIRST OF THE SAFETY OF THEIR PRINCIPAL WHEN THEY LOOK FOR INVESTMENTS.

They know they cannot afford to take a chance on the loss of principal and so prefer to waive speculative possibilities for safety and certainty.

Our unalterably high standards of care and conservatism in handling money left here entitles us to your favorable consideration.

During our 25 years of business we have grown to an institution with more than \$2,300,000 assets and more than 4100 customers.

We pay 5% on both time and savings deposits.

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Healthy Liver Healthy Life

Your liver—healthy or clogged, active or sluggish—makes all the difference between a vigorous, cheerful life and low spirits and failure.

To subdue a stubborn liver, overcome constipation, dizziness, biliousness, indigestion, headache and the blues there is nothing on earth so good as Carter's Little Liver Pills. Purely vegetable.

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FUNERAL SATURDAY FOR MAN WHO DIES IN BANK

Funeral services for John M. Larue, 78, retired oil man, who dropped dead Wednesday afternoon while in the Lima Trust company bank, will be held Saturday at 10 a. m. from the home of his brother-in-law, Joseph E. Hubbard, 229 S. Pine-st., with whom he made his home. Interment in Woodlawn cemetery.

Heart trouble was given as the cause of his death by Dr. Frank Smith, county coroner.

Larue was born in Shelby-co in 1845, but came to Allen-co to make his home at an early age and started to work in the oil fields.

Joseph Hubbard, his brother-in-law, with whom he made his home, is the only surviving relative.

SHIPS WRECKED IN STORM

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ported to have suspended service entirely.

Seattle, Wash., was one of the hardest hit cities in the country. Transportation systems practically suspended service after 18 inches of snow, the greatest fall in years, and covered the streets. Hundreds of workers were sheltered for the night in downtown hotels. Public schools remained closed today.

Temperature in Chicago early today was three below zero.

CLEVELAND HARD HIT
CLEVELAND—(Associated Press)—A blizzard swept across

PROFITS MADE ON BIG SALARIES

Business Concerns Pay for Efficiency, Forbes Points Out

SOME MEN EARN MILLIONS

Writer's Comment Results From Probe of Oil

(BY B. C. FORBES)

NEW YORK — (Special)—Can salary of \$1,000,000, or \$100,000 be earned?

The \$125,000 and \$100,000 Standard Oil salaries are not highest paid in America—Steel and automobile men lead—What should we do?

Can a man honestly earn \$1,000,000 a year?

Can a salary of \$100,000 a year actually be earned?

Every time Washington probes force heads of gigantic enterprises to reveal the salary they draw, the newspapers make more or less of a sensation out of the figures. This has happened again this week.

Newsprinters put big headlines over a Washington despatch giving the principal salaries paid by the leading Standard Oil companies.

Chairman Bedford and President Taggart of the Standard Oil of New Jersey, the Senate committee made known, get \$125,000 a year each.

While five vice presidents draw \$100,000 each.

President Polgar, of the Standard Oil of New York, gets \$100,000 and two vice presidents \$50,000.

Now, while it is very unusual for

vice presidents to get \$100,000 a year, it is by no means rare for heads of mammoth corporations to receive more than \$125,000 a year altogether. Some of them draw compensation exceeding \$1,000,000 a year in boom years, most of this coming in the form of a small percentage of the profits.

Judge Gary, of the Steel Corporation and President Grace of Bethlehem Steel, are rated as million dollar a year men in good times.

I know one automobile man who drew a net salary of \$750,000 a year before he became financially interested in another company. And I understand there are a few of these automobile giants who receive total compensation of several hundred thousand dollars a year when profits run high. W. C. Durant did not draw any salary from General Motors, but he figures that his services were worth at least \$500,000 a year.

It is becoming more and more common for directors of tremendously important organizations to hold out as an inducement to the man they want as president a share of the net profits in addition to a salary of \$100,000 or \$75,000 or \$50,000 a year. Very, very often the success or failure of an enterprise is determined by the calibre of the man at its helm. Obviously, if the directors of a big concern that is losing money can get hold of a president capable of transforming the losses into profits of millions a year, he is cheap at \$100,000 or \$250,000.

In a little book I am about to publish on "The Highest Possible Wage: How to earn it," I say:

"How much wages can be earned?"

"Every man's wage-earning capacity is different."

"Take, for example, Secretary of Labor Davis. He gets \$12,000 a year. You will admit, I am sure, that he earns every penny of this."

"Next take the man who is making more money than any other hu-

man being in the world today Henry Ford. He has been making probably between \$50,000,000 and \$75,000,000 a year for some time. Yet it is not generally admitted that Ford honestly earns all that he gets? "Suppose one of Ford's keen-brained employees saw how one dollar could be saved in the making of the Ford car without reducing the usefulness of the car, his idea, it put into practice, would save Ford more than a million dollars a year. Would not such a man be entitled to receive a very generous income from Ford? Would he not have actually earned big pay?"

"Samuel Gompers, altho given little or no schooling before he became a cigar-maker, developed a big earning capacity as a labor leader, and no one begrudges him his fine income."

"Warren S. Stone, President of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, is said to get, as a sideline, \$25,000 a year as president of labor's bank in Cleveland; and judging by the progress made by the institution, he is well worth this wage; he is earning it. He is also president of a coal mining company."

Employers cannot pay either executives or ordinary workers more than they can earn—and stay long in business.

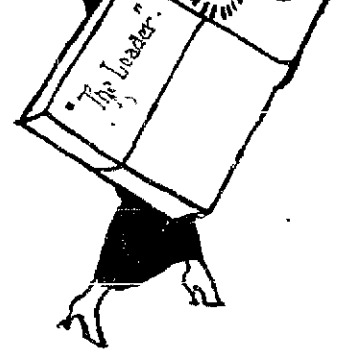
All of us must yield a profit to our employer or he won't keep us very long.

Just as the profit on a 10 cent or \$1 article cannot be very large and the profit on a \$1,000 or a \$5,000 article can be quite large, so the profit on a \$1,000 or \$2,000 man is not as large as the profit can be, and often is, on the right kind of a \$50,000 or \$100,000 a year man.

Coleman Dupont told me that when he was managing the Dupont Powder business the five most profitable men were those he paid the highest salaries.

The best thing for us all to do, is not, is not to envy or rail at those who get enormous salaries, but to fit ourselves to earn big money? (Copyright 1922)

Bargain Friday



Look for the Pink Signs on Bargain Friday

\$1.50 Deauville Silk Squares, \$1.19

Yard wide silk squares with hemmed edges, in bright colored Paisley and Bulgarian patterns, latest novelty in neckwear, \$1.49 —first floor

\$1.69 Crepe de Chine, Yard \$1.19

10 inches wide, all silk, good firm weight, three thread construction, large range of popular colors, yard, \$1.19. —first floor

\$3.00 Wool Coatings, yard \$1.89

Fine grade warm coating in plain tan, also stripes and checks; 54 inches wide; yard, \$1.89. —first floor

29c Heavy Outing Flannels, 22c

Extra heavy quality outing flannels in dark colored stripe patterns; full width; yard, 22c. —second floor

20c Unbleached Muslin, yard 13c

39 inches wide, fine count cloth; very desirable for many uses; sells for 20c; Friday, yard, 13c. —second floor

\$1.25 Colored Table Damask, yd. 95c

72 inches wide; extra quality mercerized damask, in yellow with white designs; Friday, yard, 95c. —second floor

\$1.29 Cotton Blankets, pair 98c

Single blankets for double bed; plaids and plain colors; good weight, Friday, each 98c. —second floor

Men's 10c Canvas Gloves — 3 pr. 25c

Strong white canvas with knitted wrist; full in size; 3 pair, 25c. —first floor

Women's \$2.00 Skating Gloves, \$1.19

Brushed wool gloves, in gauntlet style; ideal for skating and outdoor sports; white, brown, green and tan; pair \$1.19. —first floor

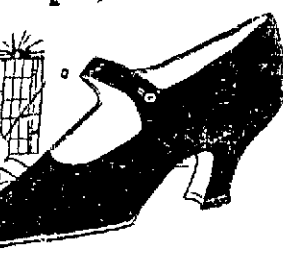
Men's \$1.25 Union Suits 88c

Medium weight in cream color; all sizes to 46; Friday 88c. —first floor

Shoes Pumps, Oxfords

For Women and Misses

Up to \$7.95 Qualities



\$2.89

A wonderful offer for Bargain Friday. A large assortment of highly desirable shoes, pumps and oxfords in a variety of attractive styles. Included are:

Shoes of tan calf or kid
Shoes of black calf or kid
Shoes of black or brown suede
Shoes of black or brown kid
Oxfords of black or brown kid or calf
Strap pumps of black or brown kid

Patent leather strap pumps
Black satin strap pumps
High heels, low heels, Cuban heels, up to \$7.95 qualities, pair \$2.89. —first floor

Girls' 75c Union Suits—each 59c

Medium weight fleeced lined union suits; sizes 2 to 16; special, Friday 59c. —second floor

Children's \$1.49 Rompers \$1.00

Made very neatly of plain and striped gingham; sizes 2 to 6; special, Friday, \$1.00. —second floor

Women's \$1.59 Aprons at \$1.29

Belted and tie-back models; slipovers or open back; made of gingham and percales in pretty patterns; rick rack and bias tape trimming; finished with deep hem; \$1.29. —second floor

85c Gowns and Stepins, 59c

Slipover gowns and stepins of good quality muslin; plain or embroidery trimmed; well made; Friday 59c. —second floor

9 x 12 Wool and Fibre Rugs, \$11.95

Extra heavy quality wool and fibre in all the wanted colors; \$15.00 quality; special, Friday \$11.95. —third floor

25c Curtain Marquisette, 16c

Yard wide, heavy double thread, ribbon bordered, highly mercerized, white, ivory, natural, yard 16c. —third floor

Men's \$1.69 Overalls, \$1.49

Excelsior brand; white back denim; full cut; triple stitched; high back or elastic suspenders; sizes to 42; also jacket in sizes to 14; each \$1.49. —first floor

Boys' 85c Overall Suits, 62c

Made of blue and white striped denim; 3 to 8 sizes; strong and serviceable, 62c. —first floor

Women's Chamoisette Gloves, \$1.63

Strap gauntlets, with checked cuff tip; embroidered back stitching; black, beaver, grey and buff; all sizes; \$2.25 quality, pair \$1.63. —first floor

Women's 45c Burson Hose, 29c

Seamless hose of good quality cotton yarns; black and cordovan; special, Friday, pair 29c. —first floor

Children's 29c Supporters, 19c

Velvet Grip hose supporters for boys and girls; mercerized hosiery elastic; strong and durable; black and white; all sizes; pair 19c. —first floor

15c Hair Nets — 8 for 50c

Le Roy hair nets of genuine human hair; double mesh; light brown, medium blonde, dark brown and black; each 7c; 8 for 50c. —first floor

10c Crochet Cotton—ball 4c

Eagle brand; mercerized; white only; sizes 5 to 60; special, Friday, ball 4c. —first floor

Friday Toilet Goods Specials

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| 25c Resinol Complexion Soap, cake | 19c | 50c Pompadour Hair Massage | 37c |
| 50c Higdon's Lemon Cleansing Cream, jar | 36c | 25c Jergens' Assorted Talcums | 16c |

first floor

65c Window Shades, each 53c

36 size, heavy cloth mounted on good rollers, complete with nickel ring pull; each 53c. —third floor

\$1.50 Marquisette Curtains, \$1.19

2 1/2 yards long; fine quality marquisette, hemstitched and lace edged; Friday, pair \$1.19. —third floor

25c Stair Treads, each 15c

Heavy rubber in fancy molded designs; 6x18 size; complete with brass nosing, each 15c. —third floor

Wall Paper — Special, roll 7c

30 inch plain oatmeal papers; also bedroom, hall and dining room papers, with handsome borders to match; all new colorings; an exceptional bargain for Friday, roll 7c.

Campaign for 5,000 New Customers During February

Women's \$1.59 Silk Hose, \$1.33

Silk ribbed hose—something different than the ordinary; wear wonderfully well and attractive in appearance; pair \$1.33. —first floor

Friday Basement Specials

Ironing Boards

\$1.97

Folding ironing boards, hard wood stand; large tops; right construction; sell for \$2.00; special, \$1.97.

Aluminum Kettles

58c

Four quart size, made of heavy spun-aluminum; regularly sell for \$1.00; special, Friday, 58c.

60c Sink Dish Pans—

All grey enamel; heavy coating; deep sink style, special, Friday 33c

\$1.60 Food Chopper

The Universal; small family size; assorted chopping knives; Friday at \$1.19

75c Polish Mops—

Triangular shape; treated, ready for use; 15c seller; Friday 43c

\$1.25 Alarm Clocks

Good size and guaranteed; full nickel plated; will keep good time; special 89c

\$4.95 Overcoats for Boys, \$2.95

A lot to close out quickly; dark colors; sizes 3 to 6 years; Friday, \$2.95. —first floor

The Leader Store
ALWAYS IN THE LEAD

The Best Protection For Your Money —

is that of a good bank. No other means of safeguarding it is so certain. This bank accepts deposits of business men, industrial establishments, farmers and individuals subject to check on sight.

To open an account here is the part of wisdom. Special attention also to lady depositors.

You're welcome here.

The OLD NATIONAL BANK
OPERA HOUSE BLOCK
LIMA, OHIO.

4%
COMPOUND INTEREST
ON SAVINGS

Men's, Women's and Children's Clothes on CREDIT

Pay for Them On Your Own Terms

Latest Styles and Low Prices

Clothing THE STAR Clothing

MILTON KUGELMAN, Prop
Southwest Corner Public Square

REPLACE YOUR FORD HORN. GET A LOUD ONE FOR \$138 AT POTTER MOTOR CO., 124 N. ELIZ.

Use News Want Ads for Results.

POLICE READY TO START ROUNDUP

Thursday Last Day for Use of 1922 Auto Tags

ARRESTS ARE THREATENED

Last Day Rush at Auto Club for 1923 Licenses

"Get new license plates or tell it to the judge."

This is the ultimatum issued Thursday morning to the motoring public of Ohio by Colonel Chalmers R. Wilson, of Columbus, state registrar of automobiles.

Wilson announced that the old 1922 plates will not be legal after midnight Thursday. Commencing Friday morning, police and traffic officers of the state will pick up motorists operating machines with last year's tags.

Such orders were received Thursday at Lima police headquarters and will be strictly enforced, Chief T. A. Lanker declared.

All officers in the department will receive instructions to look out for old tags and to arrest all persons operating cars without the 1922 plates.

Ample time has been afforded in which to obtain the license plates, Lanker declared and there is no reason for Lima and Allen-co residents not having them.

Sale of plates at the Lima Automobile club offices mounted higher and higher Thursday as late comers thronged the offices with cash to exchange for number plates.

RECEIPTS MOUNT HIGH
Hundreds of dollars were taken in by the club during the morning. The total day's receipts will run well above \$2,000, Manager James Hoffner predicted.

Up to Wednesday night the club had sold 11,123 sets of license plates to motor car owners within a radius of 50 miles of Lima. More than 100 sets were sold to residents of Fort Jennings and vicinity.

Estimates sent out by Colonel Wilson, state registrar, are that before midnight there will be nearly 1,000,000 licensed automobiles in Ohio, the average for the license being about \$3.50. Cost of the plates is \$1 cent per pair, the lowest of any state in the country.

Some trouble has been experienced in the past year because of mixing up of numbers in the factory at the Ohio state penitentiary. The mixups have generally been straightened out by the registrar's office.

About 70 complaints are engaged in Columbus in the registrar's office. They have been distributed about the state by 200 agencies.

CRIMINAL COURT IDLE, JUDGE JACKSON ABSENT

Criminal court did not convene Thursday morning, due to the absence of Judge Emmet J. Jackson, who is in Columbus.

Peter Bomen, 33, of 975 S. Central-av, who was arrested by Erie Railroad detectives on a warrant charging theft of coal, and John Mahon, 43, no home, charged with robbing, will be held in city jail until Friday morning, when they will be arraigned.

No other arrests were made Wednesday night or Thursday morning.

MEN HURT, PROPERTY DAMAGED BY WINDS

Thomas G. Huber, of Dalton, traveling salesman, and F. H. Dunaway, of Kenton, were injured when a coupe in which they were riding was overturned on the road by wind.

Property damage amounting to hundreds of dollars resulted from high winds accompanying the cold wave which swept across Hardin-co. Many trees and telephone poles were broken down by the 50-mile gale.

MEASLES

may be followed by serious cold troubles; use night—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

DORSEY'S

- | | | | |
|--|--------|---|--------|
| 2 lbs. Spinach for | 25c | New Florida Celery, bu. | 10c |
| Large Head Cauliflower | 25c | 2 Bu. Rhubarb | 25c |
| Fancy Strawberries, qt. | 50c | 2 Bu. Carrots | 15c |
| New Green Beans, lb. | 30c | 2 Bu. Onions | 15c |
| Large Pineapples, each | 35c | 2 Bu. Beets | 15c |
| 2 lbs. Best Lard | 25c | 3 Cans Pork & Beans | 25c |
| Raisins, any kind | 15c | 3 Cans Tomatoes | 25c |
| 2 lbs. Fancy-Prunes | 25c | 3 Cans Pumpkin | 25c |
| 2 lbs. Macaroni or Spaghetti .. | 25c | 3 Cans Corn | 25c |
| 10 lbs. Best Michigan Beans .. | 95c | 3 Cans Hominy | 25c |
| 3 lbs. Fancy Head Rice | 25c | 3 Cans Peas | 25c |
| 5 cans Raspberries, Blackberries, Red Cherries, Pineapple, or Michigan Peaches | \$1.00 | 12 Cans Tomato Puree | \$1.00 |
| 3 Large Cans Pineapple, Plums, Pears, Apricots or California Peaches | \$1.00 | 12 Cans Campbell's Tomato Soup | \$1.10 |
| Shredded Wheat | 10c | Special prices on all goods by the case. | |
| 2 1/2 lb. Sack W.-C. Co. Gold Medal Flour | \$1.00 | 3-12c Lux | 25c |
| Barrel | \$7.50 | 3 Old Dutch | 25c |
| Large Sour Pickles, doz. | 30c | 6 Sunbrite | 25c |
| Dill Pickles, dozen | 25c | 5-10c Wool Soap | 25c |
| 3 lbs. Loeschers Kraut | 25c | 5-10c Wool Flakes | 25c |
| 5 lbs. Good Bacon | \$1.00 | 10 Bars Lennox Soap | 35c |
| 1 Bu. Good Apples | \$1.75 | 10 P & G Soap | 55c |
| Good Creamery Butter | 50c | 10 Rub-No-More Soap | 40c |
| 1 Bag Michigan No. 1 Potatoes | \$1.60 | 10 Star Soap | 55c |
| 5 lbs. Lima Beans | 75c | 10 Flake White Soap | 50c |
| 5 lbs. Marrowfat Beans | 55c | Large Gold Dust or Star Naphtha Powder | 25c |
| Gal. Apple Butter | 75c | 1 Jap Rose Soap | 25c |
| Red Shasta Salmon | 25c | 1 H. W. Castile Soap | 25c |
| Walrus Salmon | 20c | 1 lb. Bar Castile, pure | 25c |
| Special Price on All Gallon and other fruits by the dozen or case. | | 3 Palm Olive Soap | 25c |
| | | Special price on all Soaps and Milk, by the case. | |

BEST EVER, IS PROMISE OF ANNUAL FIREMEN BALL

Biggest and best dance of the year, is the way Fire Chief Mack tells of the second annual Firemen's ball, which is to be held March 28, at Memorial Hall.

Plans have been completed for the dance and tickets will be placed on sale within a few days, according to the chief, who asserted that the firemen are planning to put on some novel stunts which will make the affair a gala event for the entire city.

Announcement was not made previously as the firemen decided to complete all arrangements before making their plans known.

Tickets for the ball will be sold at \$1 per couple and the funds will be used to purchase new uniforms.

WIRING CHANGES TO BE MADE IN CITY HOSPITAL ORDERED BY CHIEF MACK

Recommendation that the wiring in the basement and kitchen of City hospital be changed at once to conform with the state fire code, were made Thursday morning by Fire Chief John Mack, following an inspection of the hospital.

In several places in the basement, electric light wires were found to be adjacent to water and gas pipes. In the kitchen of the hospital, electric wires were fastened to gas and water pipes and defective splices were found.

The fire hose, which is now in use at the hospital was found defective. The chief recommended that new rubber-lined hose be purchased.

Wiring in the attic was also ordered changed to conform to the state code. Inspection was made at the request of the board of hospital trustees, who accompanied the chief on his tour and who stated that the chief's recommendations would be carried out at once.

At the time the inspection was made Thursday morning, the hospital had 70 patients. Every private room in the structure was occupied.

CHURCH MEN'S LUNCHEON
Rev. E. M. Goodrich, of Cleveland, will address the weekly Church Men's luncheon club at the Y. M. C. A. Friday noon, on "Near East Relief." R. B. McKee will present report of the committee on constitution and organization.

Try this Newer Form of Iron at our Expense Quickly Increases 'Pep,' Strength and Energy

"You cannot be well and strong and full of vigor, force and power unless your blood is rich in iron," says Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician in Bellevue Hospital (Out-Door Department), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital. "It is your red blood that enables you to resist and overcome disease and that nourishes every organ in your body. Without iron your blood becomes thin, pale, and watery. Poor blood cannot nourish your vital organs and as a result you may have pains in your heart or kidneys, indigestion, headaches, and feel all run-down and tired out."

When your blood lacks iron, do not waste your time taking stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs, but directly enrich your blood with the newer form of iron, known as Nuxated Iron. You can obtain from any druggist the regular full-sized package on two weeks' trial. Tear out the coupon below, and get your trial bottle of Nuxated Iron today from your own druggist. Take it for two weeks and if you have not, like thousands of others, obtained most surprising new health, strength and energy, your own druggist will promptly refund your money.

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Fill in this coupon with your name and address and take it to any druggist in your city. Deposit with him the price of one regular full-sized bottle of Nuxated Iron. This is not a payment, but a deposit only. If you are not more than delighted with the results obtained by two weeks' use of Nuxated Iron, simply return the outside wrapper to your own druggist who will promptly refund your money. We will repay the druggist the full amount he refunds upon receipt of the coupon and wrapper.

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Charles M. Hunter's, Green's Public Drug Store and Red Cross Drug Store.

SUNDAY — "FORGET-ME-NOT" SIGMA.

WE ARE JUSTLY PROUD

that our organization has been elected to membership in the Optical Guild of America. Only houses dispensing the highest type of optical service are invited or eligible. The emblem whenever you see it, is an assurance of professional standing, conscientious service and integrity.

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STORES IN INDIANA, ILLINOIS AND OHIO

NOTICE GAS CONSUMERS
THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF NATURAL GAS, AND WE ARE ASKING ALL CONSUMERS TO NOT USE IT FOR ANY PURPOSE EXCEPT COOKING, UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE WEATHER MODERATES.
OWING TO THE FLUCTUATING PRESSURE, CONSUMERS SHOULD USE EVERY PRECAUTION TO AVOID ANY POSSIBLE ACCIDENTS.
THE LIMA NATURAL GAS CO.

CW BRAND COFFEE

The best planned dinner can be spoiled by poor coffee—but when real good coffee is served—what a pleasant memory!

CW Coffee is good Coffee

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young—to do this you must watch your liver and bowels—there's no need of having a sallow complexion—dark rings under your eyes—pimples—a bilious look in your face—dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about that natural buoyancy which all should enjoy by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are known by their olive color. 25c and 50c.

Niagara Flake Lye

—pours like dry sand

The biggest advantage of Niagara Flake Lye is that it pours—never cakes. No trouble getting just the amount you want—no need to dig it out of the can—no dust to get into eyes and nose. You will use lye often if you get safe, convenient Niagara Flake.

But to make sure your grocer gives you flake lye, ask for Niagara Flake by name.

SUNDAY — "FORGET-ME-NOT" SIGMA.

REPLACE YOUR FORD HORN. GET A LOUD ONE FOR \$8.38 AT POTTER MOTOR CO., 124 N. ELIZ.

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Prominent fat that comes and stays where it is not needed is a burden, a hindrance to activity, a curb upon pleasure. You can take off the fat where it shows by taking after each meal and at bedtime, one Marmola Prescription Tablet. These little tablets are so effective and harmless as the famous prescription from which they take their name. Buy and try a case today. All druggists the world over sell them at one dollar for a case or you can order them direct from the Marmola Co., 1613 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. You can thus say goodbye to dieting, exercise and fat.—Adv.

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Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation, and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any drugstore can supply you with Zemo, which generally overcomes skin diseases: Eczema, Itch, Pimples, Rashes, Blackheads, in most cases give way to Zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins.

Man Alive!—Just Read About This Great Clothing Sale For Friday and Saturday

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Up to \$20.00 Lines in One Big Group—

Now the great Clothing Sale of the season comes—a two days event—offering values that will make every man and young chap sit up and take notice.

The Suits—

Here for a ten dollar bill are fine wool suits in plain and fancy patterns; rich dark colorings; mostly 33 to 38 sizes; well tailored and heretofore selling up to \$20.00; on Sale Friday and Saturday, \$10.

The Overcoats—

And Overcoats, too, that sold up to \$20.00 all season long. Plain and belted back models in dark greys, blues and blacks; well tailored; good looking; large range of sizes; take your choice of many styles at \$10.

Up to \$15 Overcoats \$7.50

A limited number of wool mixed overcoats in sizes up to 40, belted back models of smart appearance in dark grey. Offered at less than cost to produce—choice \$7.50.

Up to \$25 Suits \$15.00

Fall and winter suits in all wool fabrics—dark colorings; conservative and form fitting models; some have two pair trousers; sizes 35 to 40—choice \$15.00.

Up to \$30 Suits \$20.00

Handsome suits of all wool fabrics; suits for all year round service; sizes 36 to 46; splendid variety on sale at \$20.

Sale Boys' Overcoats

Formerly Sold to \$4.95 **\$2.95**

Belted all around models, button high at neck; dark mixtures in browns and greys, sizes 4 to 6, clearance price \$2.95.

The Leader Store

ALWAYS IN THE LEAD

Men's Dress Pants

Formerly Sold to \$3.95 **\$2.95**

Brown, blue and grey stripes, also plain colors; serviceable wool mixtures; cuffs at bottom; all sizes; sale price \$2.95.

—First floor.

Society News

SUSIE SMART'S ADVICE

Dear Miss Smart: I see several letters from Lonesome ladies and gents lately in your column and believe me, I know how to sympathize with them. I am a widow and with a lot of very silly disposition and go out quite frequently with a younger man than myself. I get very lonely. I am twenty-six and the mother of a child, who is a great comfort, but as I have to take her to school in the mornings before I go to work, I must get her up about 5 o'clock and therefore she is always in bed by 6:30 o'clock and I am alone to think. I am wondering if I couldn't get in touch with some other widows or lonely folks so that we might organize a club, or some sort to meet, say about once or twice a month for a social gathering and admit no one except single folks of say, 25 years of age and over to belong. Whenever I go any place and find that I am an odd number, let's hear from the other lonely folks.

LOUISIANA—THAT'S ALL I have published an exact copy of the letter I received this morning. Who is going to be the first to write to me and say they are in favor of such a club as "Lonesome, That's All" speaks of? If you would like to belong to such a club and think it would be interesting to start one, send me names and addresses and I will keep them on file.

If the young woman who sent me the above letter will afford her name and address, then I move that we make her president pro-tem of our club. Don't you think she should be? Then, I will send all the names to her, thru the mail, and your names will not be disclosed in the paper.

Of course we can do nothing unless we have some other people who would like to belong to our club for lonesome folks, so send me your name and address, in care of The Lima News.

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MRS. LEE FAUROT, S. Cole-st., entertained with an attractive bridge-ten, at her home, Thursday afternoon. Following the bridge games, tea was served. The guests were seated at small tables, each one respondent in their color scheme of red and white.

Mrs. Faurot's guests were: Mrs. Howard Fletcher, Mrs. E. A. Siferd, Mrs. Harry Pow, Mrs. J. E. Dexter, Mrs. Chas. Preston, Mrs. J. F. White, Mrs. Harvey Crider, Mrs. Geo. Eckert, Mrs. Clayton Paine, Mrs. Herbert Thomas, Mrs. E. A. Baker, Mrs. Walter Noble, Mrs. G. O. Steiner, Mrs. Harry Wright, Mrs. J. A. Diamond, Mrs. Frank Moke, Mrs. Roy Clegg, Mrs. Oliver Steiner, Mrs. Harry Bentley, Mrs. A. C. Stuart, Mrs. W. L. Mummaugh, Mrs. E. Watson, Mrs. Greenlee and Miss Minerva Musselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Baumgardner, N. Jefferson-st., were pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening, when a group of friends gathered at their home to honor the fourth wedding anniversary of the Baumgardners. The guests enjoyed games, music and dancing during the evening and delicious refreshments were served at a late hour.

Those who participated were: Miss Ruth Benedum, Miss Fay Shook, Miss Alice and Lucille Frausteller, Alma Huffer, Mrs. Gusta Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Lovi McBride and son, all of Allentown, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hartman and children, Emma and John Wark, May Belle Herling, Melville Donovan and Anna Belle Hartman, all of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Creman, Holmes-av., entertained Tuesday evening with a Valentine party at their home. Games and music were the diversions and at a late hour, delightful refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Viljo Gordon.

Guests of the Cremans were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. John Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henrich and son, Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Viljo Gordon and son, Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Sanford and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gordon, Oklahoma, and Thomas and Wayne Creman.

Mrs. Harry W. Fenton, Lowell-av., entertained members of the Wednesday Matinee Bridge club, Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock luncheon. Mrs. Gay Bayly held high score among the members and Mrs. Frank Steiner for the guests.

Miss Virginia Allen, Springfield, is the house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Houtton, W. Market-st. Miss Allen is enjoying a short vacation from her studies at Ohio Wesleyan university.

Mrs. J. P. Edmiston entertained members of the Five Hundred club at her home on W. North-st., Wednesday. Luncheon was served at 1:00 o'clock, the tables being very attractively decorated in red and white. Small hearts and Cupids were given as favors. In the card games, Mrs. Harry Tallinger held high score. Mrs. Carl Distelhorst, Wapakoneta, was the only guest. Next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs. Harry Tallinger, Richlet-ov.

Mrs. E. M. Gooding, W. Elm-st., will entertain members of the Friday Afternoon Bridge club at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Hotel Imperial, Friday.

Mrs. E. L. Kirk, Lakewood-av., entertained members of the Thursday Bridge club at the Lima club, Thursday, at a 1 o'clock luncheon. Four tables were filled for play.

Mrs. Raymond Evans, Brier-av., entertained members of the Still-av. club Wednesday afternoon at her home. Needlework was the diversion and at four o'clock tea was served. Mrs. William Lang was the only guest. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Ed. Wise, College-av.

Friday evening the Bible class of the Presbyterian Sunday school, Delphos, will meet in the church at 7:30.

Foreign Mission society of the Methodist church, Delphos, will meet Thursday afternoon in the church at 2:30. A good attendance is expected.

Court Delphos, 707, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold their meeting Thursday evening in the K. of C. club rooms.

Mrs. Charles Rupert, S. Franklin-st., Delphos, will be hostess to the United Brethren Ladies Aid society, at her home Friday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Altmeier, E. Fifth-st., Delphos, will entertain the W. B. A. club girls, Thursday evening.

Presbyterian Mission society, Delphos, will hold a public social in the community rooms of the church, Friday afternoon. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Val Canary, E. High-st., was hostess to the members of the Primrose club, Wednesday afternoon. Euchre was played and at the conclusion of the games Mrs. T. O. Stanner and Mrs. Wm. Knapp held high scores.

Miss Frances Eschbach, Garrettsville, is the house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horner, W. Springfield.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY EVENING

Tuesday Afternoon Five Hundred club, covered dish dinner, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. DuBun.

Jean Chapter, Westminster Guild, Mrs. Louise Macdonald.

FRIDAY

Harmony Bridge club, Mrs. O. C. Plummer, afternoon.

Friday Afternoon bridge club, Mrs. B. M. Gooding, Hotel Norval.

Mrs. Florence Tracy entertained for her friends, Monday evening, at a Valentine party at her home on E. Burck-st.

The guests enjoyed games and music throughout the evening. Misses Louise Allenbach, Anna Long and Margaret Kellman were successful in the clever Valentine contests. Assisted by Misses Mary and Rita O'Donnell, the hostess served refreshments.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Tracy were: Misses Mary and Anna Rose Wellman, Alice and May Sullivan, Anna Long, Anna P. Hoek, Lorena Altenbach, Pauline Vansky, Alice Murphy, Jeanette Weaver, Margaret Tschler, Dorothy Meyers, Anna Danapello and Mary E. and Rita O'Donnell.

Mrs. Geraldine Huffield, W. North-st., has returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Emil Levy and daughter, Carolyn, S. Church-st., left Sunday for a several weeks stay in Atlantic City and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Walter M. DeLoach, Jr., entertained members of the Agnola club, Tuesday afternoon. In the bridge games, Mrs. Clarence Wright held high score among the members and Mrs. Harry Hackenburger, low. The hostess served tea at 5 o'clock, assisted by Mrs. Harry Huff.

Next meeting of the club will be in two weeks with Mrs. Leroy Doyle, E. Vine-st.

William Womack has returned to Princeton college, after being the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. T. Gooding and Mrs. T. R. Schoonover, for the past week.

Junior Christian Endeavors, of the Presbyterian church will be given on a Valentine party Friday evening.

Members of the Lons club, Delphos, were entertained by Mrs. H. H. Mills, W. Third-st., Delphos, Wednesday afternoon.

The forepart of the afternoon was devoted to sewing, and later two contests were held. Mrs. William Steiner was successful in the first and Mrs. Ray McGraw received the prize for the second.

Luncheon was served by the hostess.

Miss Beatrice Edwards, Delphos, was in Van Wert, Wednesday evening.

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VAL OF PARADISE

By VINGIE E. ROE

(Continued from Our Last Issue)

For this ungainly horse was part of the mystery that was Brideman and he had never entered the town upon it faster than a trot. Today it seemed asleep, slow, sluggish, stupid. But the big man leaning on the picket with Lolo's hand in his open sight, knew that should he leap to its saddle with a certain sheep command it could, and would, spring out of its lazy droop like a spring released.

But Brideman was not riding this. He had just come and he meant to stay long, for Lolo smiled at him in a way that made him mad with desire—and there was likely to be play at Hanneville's, since he saw the hand of Hanneville's Velantrie band tied at the hitchcock.

There was no mistaking the great stallion with the sweeping mane and tail, the dusky cloud drifting across the shoulder and hip where the dim black dapples shone, the pal head and the flashing dark eyes. To any one who had once seen him he was unmistakable.

Inside, the quick-eyed bunch who followed him stood round Velantrie at the bar and waited on Hanneville's deft hands for the refreshment for which their throats were parching.

For Velantrie had not left the ranching—only a certain enchantment of it. He rode now as if he were a ghost, his face the pale walls of the Mission haunted him like a ghost.

Lolo Sanchez, he saw once and again, but to save his life he could not bear the sight of her face, the smile of its eyes with its hard, brilliant gaiety. She had cost him too much, he thought savagely.

This thought was with him today as he stood frowning at the bar—and he snarled his fingers, shook his head.

"Water," he said to Hanneville when the glasses were filled. Then he moved along the booted and spurred row, selected a chair a little to one side with his back toward the wall and his eyes toward the door—a never-failing precaution with him—and sat down. He drew money from his pockets and reached for the cards that lay new in their bindings, on the dirty canvas table top. As he did so, Brideman loomed in the doorway searching the crowd with his hilarious blue eyes.

"He's a young fellow that once floored Brideman! Back for more play! Play with me, young man!"

"Stu," said Velantrie, briefly, looking up, "we play with any." It was the only man in the country who would not have added the usual "or me."

Brideman came in with a rattle of spurs, a wave and lurch of his massive body, pulled out a chair and sat down, facing him, laid money on the table, and the game was on.

For out across the levels to the south and east two riders came on swift horses and they would have challenged any eye beholding. Both horses and riders seemed "the best in the line"—Lightning and Redcloud, shining in their perfection, entering gracefully, neither hurrying nor hanging back, but covering ground in that amazing efficiency of the really fast horse—John Hannon and his daughter erect in their saddles with the martial carriage that marked them both. They rode exactly alike—in every motion, every posture. If Val had been a son she would have been his double.

As it was she was, as she had once told Velantrie, "a chip off the old block."

They were headed for the distant town and they talked desultorily of this and that, and fell silent for long spaces. Your true playmen can be eloquently silent, and comfortably so as well.

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VELANTRIE WAS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE FLOOR. HIS GUN IN HIS HAND, HIS BLUE EYES NARROWED.

was thinking as she thought so often, of Velantrie, and her face despite the care she was exercising lately to control it, showed the sadness of her heart.

"Dad," she said presently, "what constitutes a good man?"

Her father glanced swiftly at her under his hat brim.

"It's a hard man, a quick one on the trigger," he said.

"Right or wrong?"

"Both," said the Boss of Paradise, "what's right or wrong? Right—to make an' keep your family happy—to succeed in everything you undertake. Wrong—to fail in both."

"It's a funny world," she said again some time later.

"Almighty good world," answered Hannon, "there's no end to its chances—if a man knows how to play them, an' has courage."

The girl drew deep in reverie and said no more and the plain swept back and Santa Leandra loomed before them, drowsy, blinking in the blue-gold haze. Then they entered down the street and stopped at Hanneville's.

As they dismounted Val turned to the Redcloud and stepped in her tracks, her hands arrested on the reins, her mouth fallen open.

Her eyes widened to their limit, stared helplessly. Then a flood of joy burned over her face from brow to throat and she sprang forward with a cry that was half a sob.

"Redstar!" she cried. "Oh—Redstar!" and flung herself against the hitchcock to reach her frantic arms for the great head among its cloud of mane.

But it was well the hitchcock was between—for the stallion, unused to women, owning but one master among men, savage by instinct and quick as lightning, sprang up. The full length of his rein, on his hand, his ears flattened to his head, based on his arching neck, his eyes flashed with angry light, his teeth gleamed in his open mouth, and he came down striking the rail with his iron-shod forefeet, a raving demon.

With a gasp the girl fell back, her face like ashes. For a trained moment she stood so while into her mind there flashed the words of Velantrie, "wild, screaming, furious."

... he literally drove them into the pass."

This was not Redstar—but—The Comet! The Comet—double of The Meteor—once within two seconds of the world's record at New Orleans! And she had taken him, literally and instinctively, for Redstar, the king of the Red Blood!

Certain things were getting tragically mixed, hopelessly entangled. A vague misty rose in her breast and gripped her. What did these things mean? Then she raised her eyes and looked at her father.

A little way apart John Hannon stood looking at The Comet—and she did not know him! Another John Hannon it was—a tense, poised man with his hand upon his gun.

Greenville, Pa.—"I took your medicine through the Change of Life and it did wonders for me. I was down in bed when I started to take it and weighed 85 pounds. I had no sleep and was so nervous and weak that everything would get black and I could not see. I would sit and cry and did not know what I was crying for. Since I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel younger than I did ten years ago, and my friends all tell me I look younger, and I owe it all to the Vegetable Compound. I do my housework for a family of seven now. I will be glad to answer any woman who writes me in regard to my case."—Mrs. JOHN MYERS, 56 Union St., Greenville, Pa.

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with nostrils that shook in and out, and with hard dark eyes that shone and glittered with excitement!

"Dad!" she breathed, but he did not hear her.

Instead he was thinking fast, while a strange uncertainty sat upon him. He moved at last, as if to take saddle again—then stopped, threw up his head with a motion Val had never seen in him, and came back to himself with a jerk.

"Well," he said collectedly, "let's go into Hanneville's."

Inside, the men playing at the tables had heard the stir of arrival, but arrivals were common at Hanneville's. Therefore they paid it no attention.

Nons save Velantrie. Tho he placed his money and went on with the game, he yet heard and knew that two people were coming up the steps to the open porch—but he did not know that of all people in the world they were to him the most important.

He moved the cards in his hand, shifted the cigaret in his lips, frowned thru the smoke—and glanced at the door.

In the next second there was the sound of a falling chair, a catlike leap, and Velantrie of the Border was in the middle of the floor, his gun in his hand and his blue eyes narrowed to cold points—for John Hannon's face was in the doorway!

Toward shots—and Velantrie whirled, fired again, wildly and recovered—but Hannon's gun was on him, the hard dark eyes menacing him with instant death.

"Well," said the cattlemen evenly, "what's this?"

"The end," said Velantrie sharp as a shot, "for one of us."

He put one hand and caught a table near.

"Shoot me," he said again in that rapid way, "as you did my father—you damned murderer!" Take The Comet as you took—

But John Hannon's finger jerked before the word was done and once again the big gun spoke—spoke with the intent of death and silence for that rushing tongue. But fate and justice seemed to favor Hanneville's, for on that instant Val from behind caught her father's shoulder, just as she had caught the blond boy's, and swung him out of line.

Her face stood where his had been a second before and tilted Velantrie's vision with its likeness to that other.

Feature for feature and line for line it was the same! Woman-soft where the other was eagle-keen, its long eyes smiling where those were hard as flint—it was the same yet not the same! In that first stilled look Velantrie knew why Val Hannon's face had puzzled him so long!

In awe and tragic wonder they stood for a second, staring tensely, these two who loved each other to the foundations of their souls. Then Velantrie, his face like the death she had again averted, groped blindly for a firmer hold on the table and snatched upon his foot. His blue eyes were piteous, his lips drawn with the monstrous knowledge that was his.

Then that great goodness which was in his heart, which Val had dimly felt, and which made him friends among the children and the dogs, rose out of its depths of sin and bitterness and glorified him, all unknowingly.

"I beg your—pardon," he said as if from a great distance, "gentlemen—I was mistaken. This is—not my man."

Then he crumpled like a broken reed and went down in a heap.

With a cry Val Hannon sprang in among the staring men snatched his fallen head and raised it to her breast.

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

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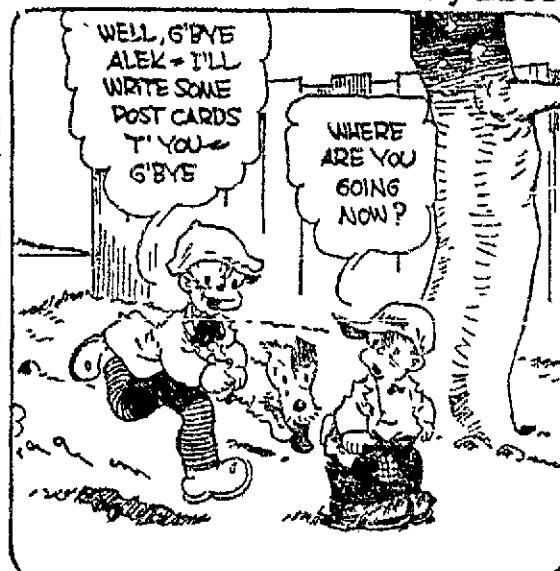
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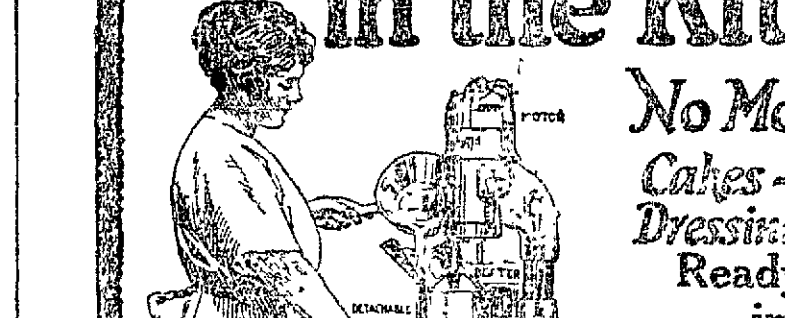
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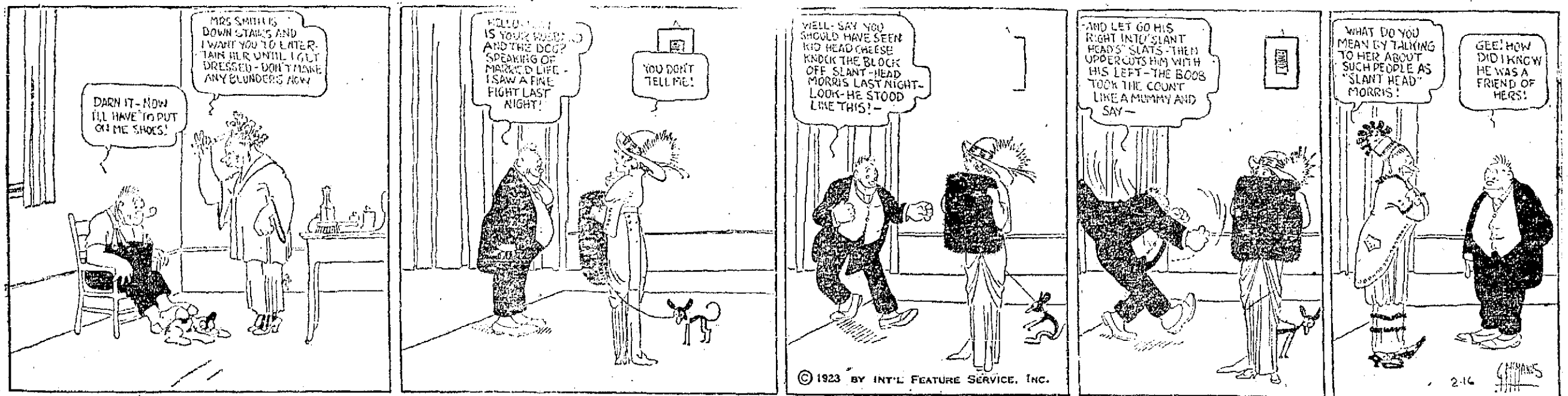
MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Had The Right Dope From The Start.

—By BUD FISHER



BRINGING UP FATHER—TEN YEARS AGO TODAY—

—By McManus



SHORT SHAVINGS

Column of Anecdotes About Home Folks

What is the funniest experience that ever happened to you? Write it out briefly and send it to the Short Shavings Editor of The Lima News. For the best contributed Short Shavings published in the week, The Lima News will pay \$1. Full names and address must be signed.

Clara Keiffer, 729 Holmes-av sends in the following: "Last Saturday I was going to take my three old niece to a show. Before starting, I asked her which show she wanted to attend. She answered, 'The show where the blind go up and the pretty girls come out and dance.'"

Ruth Daugherty, 381 S. Jackson-st., relates this one: "Mr. and Mrs. Solomon, N. Elizabeth-st., were teaching their little grandson, four year old, not to say vulgar words. Mrs. Solomon, on hearing the child say 'devil', told him it was bad and he should never use the word again. A few days later she sent her husband after some Blue Devil washing powder and the grandson hearing her mention the word, repeated about it. She explained it to him and several days later when the grandfather was looking for some tools the child replied, 'Grandpa, what is a blue devil are you looking for?'"

Florence Tracy, 150 E. Eureka-st., writes: "The noise from her father's automobile wakes a little girl every morning about six o'clock."

IN THE AIR TODAY

STATION WWJ

400 Meters, Detroit
7:30 p. m. The Town Crier, The Detroit News Orchestra; Chet Downing's Trio; The Ford Male Glee Club; Anthony J. Ran, bugler.

STATION WGY

370 Meters, Schenectady
6:45 p. m. Radio drama, "Secret Service," in four acts, with WGY orchestra.

STATION WOC

400 Meters, Davenport, Ia.
8:30 p. m. Educational talk by Karl G. Stephan.
8:45 p. m. Glee concert.
9:30 p. m. Sanderson's visit.
7:00 p. m. Artists' musical program, Erwin Swindell, musical director.
8:00 p. m. Educational lecture. Second of a series of three on "How Photo Engravings Are Made," by D. D. Dewey, manager of Bowden Bros., Davenport. Listeners are instructed to bring to their receiving set for this lecture a copy of the Saturday Evening Post for February 17.
8:30 p. m. "Renewing the Pledge of the American People to 'Remember the Maine,'" by Oscar E. Carlstrom, past commander-in-chief of United Spanish War Veterans.

Lima Time

A recent thunder storm awakened her one night and she asked if that was her father going to work. Her mother explained that it was God making the noise. Then she asked, "Mother, is that God cranking his Ford?"

"It was Sunday and my grand-mother, who raises chickens, asked a little girl staying at her house to go out and gather the eggs," writes Stanley Jacobs, 449 E. 2 St., Pine-st. "Oh," exclaimed the girl, "I did not know chickens laid on Sunday."

Wanda Williamson, 525 Michael-av., tells of an incident which occurred at Slabtown.

"There was a small boy who could not pronounce the word vinegar plainly. His mother had sent him to the store several times for it and the clerks had considerable fun with the boy, making him repeat the word a number of times. Finally the boy became disgusted, decided not to say the word again. The next time his mother sent him to the store, he put the jug on the counter and said to the clerk, 'Small the jug and give me a quart.'"

Howard Myers, former resident of Ohio, now living in Baldwin, Michigan, tells the following: "One day while we lived in Ohio, we were startled by the cries of a woman screaming in distress. She ran out of the house, crying to a neighbor, that her husband was sleeping in bed with his trousers and shoes on and wouldn't get up to take them off. A man passing by asked if their baby was dead."

Miss Thelma Barden, Unipolis, writes this one: "One day my Grandpa went to the phone to call up some one; the line was busy, so he waited awhile, then the line cleared. He asked central if the line was 'empty.'"

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What A Girl Did

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st. writes that while on his way home one day last summer on Market-st., he noticed a carpet cleaning company's truck in front of a residence. As he passed in the opposite side the driver came out with his arms held tightly about a large bundle of rugs and while gazing intently at a fashionably dressed woman walking along the street, he bumped into a tree along the curb, bounced back and fell, dropping the rugs, also which, after picking himself up and looking around, he quickly gathered up, got into the truck and drove away.

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One of Lima's lonely widowers called upon a certain widow Sunday afternoon. He was met at the door by her little nephew, who, upon being asked where his auntie was, said, "Why, our puppy is in, and she is calling up Dr. Blattenberg to come down and extract some teeth." The caller asked, "Oh! has your puppy the tooth-ache?" The little boy, rather disgusted said, "Naw, but Auntie put her new teeth on a chair last night and the puppy got them. She said she hoped he'd die of 'cute digestion.'" This was submitted by Jane Oley, 512 E. 2 St., North-st., Lima.

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Rub the Spine

If you believe the spine is the seat of most of your physical ills and more people are thinking so every day, just give it a gentle massage every night with Joint-Ease and watch the helpful results. Many people are getting it daily from Green's Public Drug Store, Hunter's 3 stores and other good pharmacists. The name is Joint-Ease and it's the one big discovery for stiff, swollen, inflamed joints—and a tube for only 60 cents.

Are Your Lungs Weak?

Just now you must guard against anything that may weaken your lungs. Every day as directed. Mr. Walter W. Loefer, 1001 W. 1st St., Elburn, Ill., writes: "I have used McMillin's formula for the best lung remedy I ever tried."

END SORE THROAT WITH TURPENTINE

When your throat is so sore that you can hardly swallow—when it hurts almost to sip water or to talk—remember that this new discovery will bring you the longest for relief. The penetrating power of Turpentine Turpentine Ointment will stop your sore throat! Its magic power reaches right into the pain and breaks up the congestion—opens the swollen passages. Science says that nothing penetrates as quickly as turpentine. New discovery. Turpentine, combines all of turpentine's mysterious penetrating power with other wonderful healing agents. With such amazing quickness does Turpentine act that when rubbed on the chest or throat, a faint scent of turpentine can actually be noticed almost at once on the breath!

Turpentine also quickly stops colds, croup, bronchitis and influenza. Instantly acts in relief of foot troubles, rheumatic pains, pleurisy and lumbago. Will not blister, burn or stain.

Don't get a sore throat! Get Turpentine today from your druggist. Don't be without Turpentine Ointment containing these other old remedies: Menthol and Camphor. Turpentine—see you see a jar—Adv.

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"Your very life," says Dr. Carey, "depends upon the perfect functioning and health of your kidneys so whatever you do don't neglect them." Dr. Carey's famous Prescription No. 1 is known for years as Marshmallow is not recommended for everything, but we cannot too strongly urge its use if you suffer from any of the following: frequent passing of water, backache, urinary troubles, frequent urination, loss of sleep, or any other trouble that may be due to kidney disease. It is the one big discovery for stiff, swollen, inflamed joints—and a tube for only 60 cents.

Don't wait until tomorrow to begin the use of this wonderful prescription. It is obtainable in both liquid and tablet form. It is a powerful diuretic and laxative. It will break up the congestion and draw out the toxins and pain. Musterole is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. It is fine for quick relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frostbitten feet, colds on the chest. Keep it handy for instant use. 35c and 65c, jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.00.

Better than a mustard plaster

MUSTEROLE
Mustard Plaster

LEGAL NOTICE

James B. Crawford whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that Maggie Ann Crawford has filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio Cause No. 20817 and the prayer of which is for divorce upon more than three years' wilful absence.

That said cause will be for hearing on and after March 15, 1925 and unless he appear and answer a decree will be taken accordingly.

ATTEST: M. CRAWFORD,
By C. J. BROTHSTON,
Her Atty.

2-1-6wks.

How Nervous Lawyer Found Health and Strength

Earl F. Drake, a prominent lawyer of Phoenix, Arizona, writes: "Within six months I gained twelve pounds and never felt better in my life. Everyone remarks about my improved appearance." He says: "Musterole did it. Try it yourself. Obtainable at every good drug store.—Adv.

A RAW, SORE THROAT

Eases Quickly When You Apply a Little Musterole

And Musterole won't blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster. Just spread it on with your fingers. It penetrates to the sore spot with a gentle tingle, loosens the congestion and draws out the soreness and pain.

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE

Wm. Berry, Plaintiff,
vs.
W. A. Jones, Defendant,
Before Wm. H. Guyton Justice of the Peace of Ottawa township, Allen County, Ohio.
Notice is hereby given that on the 20 day of January, 1925, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled case for the sum of \$238.50 and costs in this case. Said case will be for hearing on March 19, 1925, at nine o'clock a.m. at the Court House, Lima, Ohio.

2-1-6wks.

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No matter how long you've had your corns, how bad they may be, whether hard or soft, or if they are on the toes or feet, with the fingers. It ends callouses, the same simple way. Millions use it. Money back guarantee. Costs but a trifle—everywhere. E. Lawrence & Co., Mfr., Chicago.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Assignment of Charles F. Sprague
The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Assignee in trust for the payment of the claims of Charles F. Sprague of Allen County, Ohio.

All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims, according to law, duly authenticated to the undersigned for allowance.

Dated this 21st day of January A. D. 1925.

J. H. GOERKE, Atty. at Law,
Assignee of Charles F. Sprague,
2-1-6wks. Domestic Bldg., Lima, Ohio.

Use News Want Ads for Results

Standing Back of Your Mousetraps

A shoe manufacturer whose store in New York City is in a rather out-of-the-way locality recently called the attention of the reading public to these familiar lines:

"If a man can write a better book, preach a better sermon, or make a better mousetrap than his neighbor, though he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten path to his door."

For many years people have beaten a path to this shoe manufacturer's door. He has proved the truth of this famous aphorism.

And where did he publish this quotation which he applies with such pride to his business?

Why, in an advertisement, to be sure—for this manufacturer is a consistent and regular advertiser, and when he has anything to say, he says it through his advertising. It may fairly be assumed that he would not look for a thriving business in the best of mousetraps, or shoes, if people were not told about them as people expect to be told—through advertising.

Of course, people do find out which are the best mousetraps, the best shoes, the best tires, the best breakfast foods, and buy them in preference to others.

And people today are pretty well aware that when a manufacturer puts advertising back of the thing he makes, he is telling the world that the path to his door is a broad highway.

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